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**PATENT APPLICATION**  
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

File the Application of

Roger W. WHATMORE et al.

Group Art Unit: 1765

Application No.: 10/069,754

Examiner: A. Alanko

Filed: February 28, 2002

Docket No.: 112113

For: IMPROVEMENTS IN OR RELATING TO FILTERS **MAIL STOP RCE**

**LARGE ENTITY REQUEST FOR  
CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.114, Applicant(s) hereby request(s) continued examination.

Applicants further request entry and consideration of the submission filed September 28, 2004.

The above-identified application was filed on or after June 8, 1995. Thus, entry is proper under 37 C.F.R. §1.114(d).

Attached hereto is our check no. 159960 in the amount of  \$790.00 as payment of the fees set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this page are enclosed.

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